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ENGINEERING FIELD HANDBOOK (NEH Part 650)

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SUBJECT: ENG – National Engineering Handbook (NEH), Part 645, Engineering Technical Materials

Purpose. To distribute revised IL-ENG standard drawings.

Effective Date: Upon receipt.

Explanation of Changes. This notice distributes three revised standard drawings and version 1.2 of the Winter Feeding Station (WFS) spreadsheet. Details of the revisions can be found in the attached "Revised List" sheet.

The significant change with this revision is to correct the post spacing on the WFS drawings. Because the post spacing in the feeding area varies according to the WFS size, the spacing dimension has been made blank, ready for data entry. The spreadsheet-based drawing has been updated to auto-fill the post spacing dimension depending on the user selection of facility size.

**Please use these updates in place of the September 2015 versions of the WFS drawings.**

The Illinois NRCS engineering website will be revised to reflect the updated drawings at:  
[http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/detail/il/technical/engineering/?cid=nrcs141p2\\_030571](http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/detail/il/technical/engineering/?cid=nrcs141p2_030571).  
The drawings will be available for 30 days under the Shared Documents section on the SharePoint site here:

[https://ems-team.usda.gov/sites/NRCS\\_Illinois/Shared%20Documents/Forms/AllItems.aspx](https://ems-team.usda.gov/sites/NRCS_Illinois/Shared%20Documents/Forms/AllItems.aspx)

Filing Instructions (Drawings). Optional. Holders of hardcopy Illinois Engineering Drawing binders should:

1. Replace Numerical Index dated 11/2015 with the new Numerical Index (attached) dated 11/2015.
2. Replace Category Index dated 11/2015 with the new Category Index (attached) dated 11/2015.
3. Print copies of the revised drawings.
4. Follow instructions on attached distribution listing of new drawings, filing in the IL-ENG Drawing binder.

Any questions regarding this submittal should be directed to the Area Engineer.

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